

From the Lake Superior News, Oct. 28.  
FROM LAKE SUPERIOR.

**NORTH AMERICAN MINING COMPANY.**—The Pacific brought up last week the engine and stamping works belonging to this company which are to be erected at their mines in the course of the Winter. From Judge Bacon, their energetic Superintendent we learn that his force at the mines have, since the 1st of December last, sunk a shaft of 155 feet and extended a level or drift, 223 feet—the drift commencing on the main shaft at 95 feet from the surface. At present operations are confined on a **WINZE**, 85 feet south of the main shaft, at the 95 feet level, and on another **WINZE** 100 feet north of the same shaft and on same level—having in the former *etage* a rich load of stamp and barrel work. There is at present, raised to the surface, over 200 tons of good stamp work, with the ground sufficiently opened to take out the course of the next year, with twenty miners, it is said, from present appearances, full 2,000 tons of good stamp work.

Since the organization of this company, their total amount of expenditures including the supplies now on hand for six months, with engine, &c., has been \$35,000. During the Winter, the working force will consist of about 30 men, and the expenditures of the company will average about \$800 per month. An intelligent gentleman who has just come down from the Eagle River District, informs us that he considers the North American location "second to none but the famous Cliff."

**FROM THE FAR WEST.**—The St. Louis Republican, of the 31st ult., has a long, gossipping letter from Fort Chillicothe in Nebraska Territory, dated the 6th, the substance of which is that the troops there are anxiously expecting the promised relief, that the greater part of the Oregon battalion is scattering along the frontiers, only the headquarters and eighteen or twenty men remaining at the fort, and that the headquarters would, in a few days, take up the line of march for Leavenworth. The Pawnees were stealing horses from the Sioux, whenever they could get a chance, and now and then taking a scalp; the Sioux returning the compliment with equal zeal.

We give the postscript to the letter:—

P. M.—Mr. Culbertson, and party, from St. Louis, passed here on the 1st for Fort Laramie. Some two hundred wagon passed down yesterday on the opposite side of the Platte, from the valley of the Salt Lake. They are going to the frontiers for a fresh load of Mormons for the happy valley. It is understood that so soon as a sufficient number of the faithful reach Salt Lake, they intend to apply for a Territorial Government. The movement I think will be made next year.

The Republican publishes and order from the late General Kearney, dated at Jefferson barracks, Oct. 28, transferring the command of the military department to Lt. Col. Loomis with the headquarters at St. Louis. Gen. K. resigning the command on account of the illness which, as we know, has since terminated his valuable life.

**ORACULAR CALCULATION.**—An ingenious French correspondent of the New Orleans Bee, of the 2d inst., five days before the election, gives the following curious arithmetical coincidence, applied to his own calculation, on the result of the Presidential election:

He says, by numbering the letters of the alphabet in the order in which they stand, and applying the numbers to the letters comprising the name of Zachary Taylor, he finds the addition of these numbers is 173.

By the same system, he finds the numbers applied to the letters comprising the phrase "will be President?" also add up 173.

THE PROOF.

B C D E F G H I J K L  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12  
I N O P Q R S T U V W X  
1 4 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24  
Z  
26  
A C H A R Y T A Y L O R  
1 1 3 8 1 18 25 20 1 25 12 15 18  
Total addition of these figures, 173.

I L L B E P R E S I D E N T  
1 9 12 12 2 5 6 16 18 5 10 9 4 5 11 20  
Total addition, 173.

This curious necromantic arithmetician gives the following list of States which calculate will vote for Taylor, and finds at the addition of their electoral votes ions exactly to the magic number of 173.

**STATES WHICH WILL VOTE FOR TAYLOR.**  
Massachusetts, 12 North Carolina, 11  
Vt. Island, 4 Louisiana, 6  
Connecticut, 6 Florida, 3  
Penn., 6 Kentucky, 12  
N. York, 36 Tennessee, 13  
N. Jersey, 7 Georgia, 10  
Pennsylvania, 26 Mississippi, 6  
Iowa, 3 Wisconsin, 4  
Vt. Land, 8 Total, 173

Unfortunately for the calculation, Gen. Taylor has but 163 electoral votes, or ten less than the number required by the French political prophet. Mississippi may add six more to this number; but that, by the terms, appears to be now the only doubtful state, and it is not enough to save the Frenchman's reputation as an arithmetical necromancer.

TO COOK RICE.—Soak the rice in cold salt water for seven hours; then have ready a w-pan with boiling water, throw in the rice and let it boil briskly for ten minutes, pour it in a cullender, cover it up hot by fire for a few minutes, and then serve. e grains are double the usual size, and are distinct from each other.

NAVAL.—Orders have been received at the yard, at Gosport, to fit out the United States frigate *Raritan*, destined to the Gulf of Mexico, it is said, as the flag ship of Commodore Lawrence Kearney.

A little volcano is said to have broken out a coal bed in Shelby county, Texas. The volcano was accidentally set on fire about a week ago, and has been burning ever since.

**INAUGURATION DAY.**—The 4th of March is to come on Sunday. The inauguration of Gen. Taylor will, therefore, take place Monday the 5th. Who will be President he 4th.

## FARM FOR SALE

At Public Vendue.

THE subscriber will offer for sale on the premises, on Saturday the 18th day of November, 1848, at 12 o'clock noon, public vendue, the valuable farm on which he resides, situated in Shamokin township, Northumberland County. The farm is situated near the Centre Turnpike, about 7 miles from Sunbury, and contains 124 acres, about 90 acres of which are cleared. The balance is excellent woodland. About 35 acres are new ground. The old land has been nearly all well limed. There is also on the premises, about six acres of good new meadow. The improvements consist of one new TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, and a new FRAME BARN, and also a good FRAME HOUSE and BANK BARN, in good repair. There is a good Spring house, and a fountain on the premises. Also an Orchard of about 40 apple trees, and a number of peach trees. An indispensable tit will be given, and possession delivered on the 1st of April next.

Terms and conditions will be made known on the day of sale by

GEORGE KOCHER,  
Shamokin township, Oct. 28, 1848.

## Dissolution of Co-Partnership

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that the Co-partnership entered into the 31st day of March, 1847, by Anthony Dengler, Jacob Haas, Daniel R. Haas and Peter Haas, was dissolved the 14th day of February, 1848, by the withdrawal of Jacob Haas, from said Co-partnership; the remaining partners agreeing to pay all just debts of the firm of Dengler, J. Haas & Co.

JACOB HAAS.  
Shamokin tp., Oct. 28, 1848—

## I. ANDREWS DEATH TO PAIN

RELIEF TO THE SICK.—*THE DEATH TO PAIN* is a powerful Remedy for the Whole Human Race in Automobiles.

### PAIN KILLER.

This is an entirely vegetal compound, composed of Twenty different Medicinal ingredients, and is an internal and External Remedy for the various diseases of the human flesh in their most violent forms.

It is to truly say, that no other Remedy in existence can compare with it.

For further particulars see Pamphlet sent to you, or call on the subscriber for the label of each bottle.

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